



Frequently Asked Questions Compost Bin & Rain Barrel Sale

When will the event take place?

The compost bin and rain barrel sale will be held on Saturday, May 26 from 8:00-2:00 at Northgate Mall (Sears Parking Lot).

Can I pre-order a compost bin and/or rain barrel?

No. Pre-orders will not be accepted for this event.

If I am unable to make it to the event can I purchase a compost bin or rain barrel from Solid Waste Management?

No. Due to limited storage space at Solid Waste Management, compost bins and rain barrels will not be available for sale after the event.

Will instructions be provided with the compost bin & rain barrel on how to assemble and use the equipment?

Yes. Norseman Environmental will have brochures available to individuals who purchase a compost bin and/or rain barrel. Each compost bin comes with a "Home Composting Handbook" that has information on how to prepare compost and the assembly instructions. Rain barrels will come with a handbook on how to catch and store rainwater and assembly instructions.

How much does a compost bin and rain barrel cost?

Compost bins will be sold for \$47.00 dollars and rain barrels will be sold for \$58.00 dollars (tax included).

Do I have to be a City resident to purchase a compost bin and/or rain barrel?

No. The truckload sale is open to anyone who would like to purchase a compost bin and/or rain barrel.

Can I purchase a compost bin and/or rain barrel for a business?

Yes.

Is there a limit on how many compost bins and/or rain barrels I can purchase?

No. Individuals may purchase as many items as they would like.

Where may I find more information?

Residents may contact Durham One Call at 919-560-1200. Residents may also contact Larrisha McGill, Waste Reduction Coordinator at 919-560-4186, ext. 32227 if they have additional questions.

Citizens who require assistance should call (919) 560-4197, ext. 254, TTY (919) 560-4809 or e-mail ADA@durhamnc.gov no later than 48 hours before any City-sponsored events.